

Kentucky High School Feedback Reports College Going, Class of 2009-10

Technical Notes

The Kentucky P-20 Data Collaborative, in cooperation with the Council on Postsecondary Education (CPE), the Kentucky Department of Education (KDE) and the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA) bring together data for the Kentucky High School Feedback Report on College Going, Class of 2009-2010. All of the information in this report is for the high school graduating class of 2010, and all numbers having to do with college entrants refer to members of the high school graduating class of 2010 who entered postsecondary education at any point during the 2010-2011 academic year.

Occasionally, data from one source will not conform to data from another source because of differences in student cohorts, how variables are defined, the treatment of missing data, and other factors. This may lead to apparent contradictions in the report, but every item in the report draws from the best available data source. Values known to be zero are reported as zero. Values that are not available or are suppressed to preserve individual privacy are left blank or labeled N/A. The rules for suppressing and redacting sensitive data are found at the end of this document. Values for individual schools may not sum to values reported for districts and other geographic regions.

The Kentucky High School Feedback Report on College Readiness, Class of 2010, includes individual reports for all 228 public high schools open to general high school population in Kentucky with a class of graduating students in 2010.

Page 1: Overall, how does this school compare to others in Kentucky?

1. **Number of high school graduates:** High school graduate counts are the number of students who are indicated as graduates in the high school transition database. Source: KDE
2. **Average high school GPA:** Calculated as the median, cumulative GPA for seniors. Source: KDE
3. **Percent of students in this class who qualify for free and reduced lunch:** as reported. Source: KDE
4. **Average Junior ACT scores for these high school graduates by subject:** Based on the 2008-2009 (Junior year) statewide ACT administration for students who graduated in 2010. Source: KDE
5. **Average Kentucky Education Excellence Scholarship (KEES) Awards earned by these high school graduates:** Numbers for districts may include alternative high schools. Source: KHEAA
6. **Overall college-going rate for these high school graduates:** Numbers for districts may be greater than the sum of their reported schools because district counts include students from alternative high schools. Sources: KHEAA, CPE, KDE.
7. **Percent of high school graduates who go to an in-state college or university:** Numbers for districts may include alternative high schools. Data for public and independent in-state colleges and universities is provided by matching actual student level records with college enrollment records from CPE. Data for in-state proprietary and other private in-state colleges are provided by KHEAA. Sources: KHEAA, CPE, KDE.
8. **Percent of high school graduates who go to an out-of-state college or university:** Numbers for districts may include alternative high schools. Data on out-of-state colleges and universities are provided by

KHEAA through the National Student Clearing House. While the vast majority of colleges and universities participate in the National Student Clearing house, some do not. Sources: KHEAA and KDE.

Quick Statistics about this school:

High School Graduate Rate: as reported from the KDE report on Average Freshman Graduation Rate (KY-AFGR). Source: KDE

Overall college-going rate for graduates of this class: Sources: KHEAA, CPE, KDE.

Percentage of graduates ready for college-level math: Percentage of High School graduates who took the ACT Statewide administration in 2008-2009 with at least a 19 on their junior year mathematics ACT score. Source: KDE

Percentage of graduates ready for college-level English: Percentage of high school graduates who took the ACT Statewide administration in 2008-2009 with at least a 18 on their junior year English ACT score. Source: KDE

Percentage of graduates ready for college-level reading: Percentage of high school graduates who took the ACT Statewide administration in 2008-2009 with at least a 20 on their junior year reading ACT score. Source: KDE

Page 2: What types of colleges and universities did graduates from this school attend?

1. **College enrollment of 2009-2010 graduates entering an in-state or independent college:** Numbers for districts may include alternative high schools Data in this section refer to public and private in-state colleges. Source: CPE.
2. **Type of college or university attended:** Numbers for districts may include alternative high schools Source: CPE
3. **Started college full-time:** Numbers for districts may include alternative high schools. Source: CPE
4. **Type of degree or credential sought:** students entering degree sought. Numbers for districts may include alternative high schools. Source CPE

Page 3: College Enrollment Patterns

Types of Colleges the graduates of this high school attended (Pie Chart): Includes duplicate counts for students enrolled in more than one institution. Source: CPE, KHEAA

Average Junior Year ACT Composite Scores by Enrolled Institution (Bar Chart): Based on the 2008-2009 (Junior year) statewide ACT administration for students who graduated in 2010 and were enrolled in the indicated type of college in 2010-2011. For demographic groups with less than 10 graduates, data are suppressed and bars have been removed to protect the privacy of those students and inappropriate comparisons.

Page 4: Where did these students go to college?

Colleges and Universities Attended: Presented in decreasing order by school attendance. Colleges and universities with no students enrolled from the indicated school are omitted. KHEAA and CPE

Additional information from the participating agencies can be found on their data websites:

Kentucky Department of Education – Open House

<http://openhouse.education.ky.gov/>

Council on Postsecondary Education – Data and Research Portal

<http://cpe.ky.gov/info/>

Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority

<http://www.kheaa.com/website/kheaa/home>

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Redaction Rules

These rules, agreed upon by the Kentucky Department of Education, (KDE) are to redact or mask some of the data based on the small cell-size counts to ensure that none of the data could be used to identify individual students.

Page 1. A. Overall, how does this High School compare to others in Kentucky?

Q. 1-8: If the school is an A1 school with at least 10 graduates, data will be present.

Page 2. B. What types of colleges and universities did graduates from this High School attend?

Q. 1-4: If at least 10 graduates are enrolled in an in-state college during the 10-11 school year, data will be present.

College Going Rates for Graduates Within Each Demographic: If at least 10 students from the demographic are graduates, data will be present. For example, if 15 Graduates from the High School are listed as African American, and 10 went to college, the bar will be present. If fewer than 10 graduates are listed as African American, the bar will not be present.

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Types of Colleges Attended by these High School Graduates: If at least 10 graduates are enrolled in a college or university in the 2010-2011 school year, data will be present.

Average Junior Year ACT Composite Scores by Enrolled Institution: If at least 10 graduates are enrolled in the specific type of institution, data will be present. For example, if 10 students are enrolled in a four year public university, ACT bars will be present. If fewer than 10 students are enrolled in Independent Colleges, data will not be present.

*It is possible for the first bar chart to show students enrolled, but the second bar chart (ACT) not have ACT scores for that institution. For example, if only 8 students are enrolled in Independent Colleges, the count of 8 will show on the first bar chart, but no ACT averages will be recorded for those students.

Page 4. Where did graduates of this High School enroll in college?

No redaction rules.